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TAGS: PGEN SHUM HA
SUBJECT: AMBASSADOR LOWENSTEIN'S ADDRESS TO HAITIAN EXILES

REF: (A) STATE 225515, (B) PORT AU PRINCE 3555

1. EMBASSY CONCURS IN DEPARTMENT'S VIEWS REFTEL AND PARTICULARLY THOSE EXPRESSED IN PARA 5.

2. HISTORY OF RELATIONS WITH U.S. IF FRAUGHT IN HAITIAN MINDS WITH REAL OR IMAGINED ASSOCIATIONS WITH EFFORTS TO OVERTHROW GOH. WE HAVE GONE TO CONSIDERABLE LENGTHS IN LAST FEW YEARS TO MAKE CLEAR TO GOH THAT IT IS NOT U.S. POLICY TO ENCOURAGE OVERTHROW PRESENT REGIME AND SPECIFICALLY THAT WE DO NOT SUPPORT EXILE ORGANIZATIONS WITH THAT GOAL IN MIND. ON BASIS OF THIS APPROACH, WE HAVE SPOKEN FRANKLY AND BLUNTLY WITH GOH ON HUMAN RIGHTS MATTERS. GOH DOES NOT ALWAYS APPRECIATE OUR POINT OF VIEW BUT HAS BEEN STEADILY RESPONSIVE INFORMATION THAT GOH WILL AMNESTY 104 PRISONERS (REF B) SEPT 21 IS MOST RECENT INDICATION OF SUCCESS OF THIS APPROACH.
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